

KANCO TEA & INDUSTRIES LIMITED

(FORMERLY KNOWN AS DHANVARIDHI CONCERNS LIMITED)

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November 5, 2014

To,
The Manager,
Corporate Affairs Department,
The Bombay Stock Exchange Limited
Phiroze Jeejeebhoy Towers
Dalal Street,
Mumbai – 400 001

Scrip Code/ID-590130/KANCOTEA

Dear Sir, .

Sub: Credit Rating for ₹ 19.78 Crores

ICRA has upgraded the long-term rating for the captioned Line of Credit (LOC) to [ICRA] BBB (pronounced ICRA Triple B) from [ICRA BBB –] (pronounced ICRA B minus) assigned earlier. The Outlook on the long-term rating is stable. The Rating Committee of ICRA has also upgraded the short-term rating for the captioned LOC to [ICRA] A3+ (pronounced ICRA A three plus) from [ICRA] A3 (pronounced ICRA A three) assigned earlier.

Enclosed please find a report of ICRA Limited on Credit Rating for your information and record.

Thanking you,

For Kanco Tea & Industries Limited

A K Gangopadhyay

Company Secretary & Compliance Officer

Encl: a/a

ICRA Limited



Ref: ICRA/KOL/RA/2014-15/501

November 3, 2014

Mr. Subhra Kanta Parhi Chief Financial Officer Kanco Tea & Industries Limited 'Jasmine Tower', 3rd Floor 31, Shakespeare Sarani Kolkata - 700017

Dear Sir.

Surveillance of ICRA-assigned Credit Rating for Rs. 19.78 crore of Kanco Tea & Industries Limited Re: (instrument details in Annexure)

Please refer to our email dated October 20, 2014 informing you reaffirmations of ratings at [ICRA]BBB-/Stable/[ICRA]A3 assigned to the captioned bank lines of your company and also to your subsequent email dated October 24, 2014, requesting a review of the same.

Please note that the Rating Committee of ICRA, after due consideration, has upgraded the long-term rating for the captioned Line of Credit (LOC) to [ICRA]BBB (pronounced ICRA triple B)† from [ICRA]BBB- (pronounced ICRA triple B minus) assigned earlier (The Outlook on the long-term rating is stable. The Rating Committee of ICRA has also upgraded the short-term rating for the captioned LOC to [ICRA]A3+ (pronounced ICRA A three plus) from [ICRA]A3 (pronounced ICRA A three) assigned earlier. 1

The aforesaid ratings are valid till October 10, 2015.

The ratings as stated above are specific to the terms and conditions of the LOC as indicated to us by you. In case there is any change in the terms and conditions, or the size of the rated LOC, the same must be brought to our notice immediately. Any such change would warrant a rating review, following which there could be a change in the ratings assigned.

ICRA reserves the right to suspend, withdraw or revise the above rating at any time on the basis of new information or unavailability of information or such other circumstances, which ICRA believes, may have an impact on the rating assigned to you.

You are required to furnish a periodic statement (in the format enclosed) confirming the timeliness of payment of all obligations against the rated debt programme [interest and principal obligations for fund based as well as obligations under LOC/BG for non-fund based facility].

You are also required to inform us forthwith of any default or delay in the payment of interest and/or principal against the rated debt programme, or any other debt instruments and/or borrowings of your company. Further, you are requested to keep us informed of any other developments that could have a direct or indirect impact on the debt servicing capability of your company, with such developments including, but not limited to, any proposal for re-schedulement or postponement of repayment against any dues and/or debts of your company with any lender(s) and/or investor(s).

 † For complete rating definition please refer to ICRA Website www.icra.in or any of the ICRA Rating **Publications**

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We thank you for your kind cooperation extended during the course of the rating exercise. Please let us know if you need any clarification.

With regards,

Yours sincerely, for ICRA Limited

Kaushik Das

Assistant Vice President

Bhavesh Nahata Senior Analyst